IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Thomas NARBESHUBER, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/538,473 GAU: 1621

FILED: June 7, 2005 EXAMINER: Y. VALENROD

FOR: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF ALKYLARYLSULFONATES BY MEANS OF MODIFIED,

DIMERIZED OLEFINS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

| It is | s hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to July 23, 2008 for |
|-------|---|
| | filing a response to the Official Action dated: |
| | responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated: |
| | filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed. |
| | responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated: |
| | filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed. |
| | filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on: April 23, 2008 |
| | Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half. |
| | e required fee of \$\frac{\\$120.00}{\}\$ is being made by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the orney of Record's Deposit Account No. \$\frac{15-0030}{2}\$. |
| | Respectfully Submitted, |

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEWSTADT, P.C.

James J. Kelly, Ph.D. Registration No. 41,5

Customer Number

22850

Tel. (703) 413-3000 Fax. (703) 413-2220 (OSMMN 05/03)